

HAPPENINGS IN VERMONT

(Continued from page two.)

with Dr. and Mrs. Kenyon.—At the Baptist Church next Sunday morning the pastor, the Rev. Irving Gray, will speak on "Thanksgiving for All Things and All People." At the Union Church, at the Baptist Church Sunday evening a popular program will be presented, consisting of a special music, an original poem and a symposium by seven speakers on "The Soldier's Outfit."

ESSEX CENTER.

The Rev. Mr. Allen went Tuesday to St. Johnsbury to attend conference. L. Melendy and mother-in-law, Mrs. Charlotte Davis, of Fairfax, have moved to the McKenzie place, which they recently bought of Mrs. Julia Hunt.

HUNTINGTON.

Private Roy J. Catter of the U. S. proving grounds, Aberdeen, Md., of ordinance department, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Catter of Huntington, and his sister, Mrs. Howard Ring, of Waterbury, on a nine days' furlough. He left for Camp Aberdeen Sunday night at midnight from Waterbury on his return.

HUNTINGTON CENTER.

Mrs. H. J. Ellis visited friends in Richmond the last of the week.—Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Grange went to Johnson Monday preparatory to moving to their new home in Bristol.—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hallock Sunday.

During the month of March six sweaters and six helmets were sent to Boston by the Huntington Center Red Cross. Work was begun on the knitted eye bandages and blocks for the afghans were cut out. A large number of knitted blocks and afghans have been given to the work committee. One hundred and fifty pounds of clothing was given for Belgian relief. The society will meet at Mrs. Archibald Higley's Tuesday, April 23. Come prepared to work on the afghans.

WILISTON.

There will be no services at the Methodist Church next Sunday on account of the pastor being absent.—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Martin, who have been spending two months in the city, returned to their home here Saturday. Mr. Martin has a job in the city going in each day.—The Rev. H. G. Banks and family will not return until next week.—Miss Adella Brownell is moving to her new home here.—Isabelle Porter, who has been ill with German measles, has recovered and is attending school as usual.—Little Clifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, is ill.—There was a supper and dance at Woodman's hall last Friday night, the proceeds going to the Red Cross.—Mrs. Emma Bliss, who spent the fall and winter with her sister in South Peach, returned to her home here for the summer.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pratt from Burlington were guests of Mrs. Grant Mills Sunday.—Mrs. Otis Don, who has been ill, is much better.—Mr. F. A. Jones, who has been in the city, returned to his home here Saturday.—Mrs. A. O. Porter, the past week, returned to Waterbury Center.—Elmer Crane and his brother Verne, from New York State, were in town recently.—The ladies of the Wiliston High School will meet at Universalist hall for work Thursday afternoon, the 25th, and each Thursday thereafter. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

The "Ladies' League" for Liberty bonds conducted by the boy scouts of America will be held from April 27 to May 4. They work at the request of President Wilson and Secretary McAdoo, and for "love of country."

MILTON.

H. H. Beeman has received his appointment as postmaster.—Prof. and Mrs. Lewis Flint and Miss Emma Flint of the University of Vermont spent Sunday with their grandfather, the Rev. E. E. Herick.—The students of the high school will present the play, "Miss Molly," at St. Ann's hall Thursday evening.—Mrs. Joseph Viens and daughter, Beatrice, and Mrs. Henry Viens and two children have returned from Lawrence, Mass., where they went to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. LeMay.—Mrs. Addie B. Landon, who has spent the winter in Burlington, has returned and opened her house on Main street again.—Private Hiram Skeels and wife, Mrs. Berry, who are at Camp Greene, have been promoted to be corporals.—Sherman Wade, who is at Camp Greene, is very ill with pneumonia following the measles.—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Perry attended the G. A. R. convention in Burlington last week.—H. H. Beeman has moved to the Dr. Sanderson house on Main street, which he recently purchased, and Mr. Shores, manager of the Hood creamery, has moved to the house vacated by Dr. Sanderson.—Mrs. W. C. Green, who has been visiting her brothers, Dr. L. S. Coburn and Ray Coburn.

Miss Hilda Woodruff of Milton, daughter of the late Professor Woodruff, principal of the Milton school, and a member of the graduating class of the high school at Essex Junction, has been appointed to a State scholarship in Middlebury College by Senator Martin S. Vilas of Burlington. Miss Woodruff will enter Middlebury college next September.

WEST MILTON.

Miss Mildred Blake was married April 18 to Dr. W. Campbell of St. Albans. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Paquette after which a reception was given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Blake.

MILTON BORO.

George Taylor was in St. Albans Monday.—Mildred Evans of St. Albans spent the week-end at R. E. Bullock's.—Mrs. Nelson Elwood and two daughters spent the week-end in this place.—Harry Richards was in Morrisville the first of the week.—Mrs. Helen and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Ward Richards spent a few days in St. Albans last week.—Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron and daughter, Dora, spent Sunday and Monday at Hog Island.—Mrs. Ernest Elmer and son spent Sunday at West Georgia.—Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor were in West Milton April 18 to attend the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell at F. E. Blake's.

WESTFORD.

Ralph Willey and Laura Withers were married at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday afternoon, April 17. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. White. Mr. and Mrs. Willey will live in the Maubourne house now owned by Edgar and Roswell Grosvenor.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Withers Wednesday afternoon April 17, when their daughter, Helen, was united in marriage to Ralph A. Willey by the Rev. W. W. White. The house was prettily decorated with evergreens. At the sound of the wedding march played by Mrs. White, the bride entered the parlor, where they were united in marriage under an arch of running pine. The bride was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Myrtle Willey, and the groom was attended by his brother, Halsey Withers. The bride was gown in light blue crepe de chine trimmed with silk chiffon and the bridesmaid wore corn cobbed silk. After the wedding ceremony the company retired to the dining room, where good things in abundance were served. The supper and esteem in which the young pair were held was shown by the many presents

consisting of silver, cut glass, linen, etc., which were left to start them on life's journey.

JONESVILLE.

A supper will be served Thursday at the hall from six to eight o'clock. At 25 cents a plate, this is meant to be distributed to the King's Daughters and the Red Cross.—Roy Cutler, who has been at Camp Aberdeen, Md., was in town last week. He is in the motorcycle branch of the aviation service. He expects to leave soon overseas.—The Rev. E. P. Treat of Pittsford visited at F. L. Stevens' on Monday night.—Miss LeVina Miller recently visited in Waterbury.

ST. GEORGE.

There will be an entertainment and box social at the school house Friday evening. Mrs. Lawrence Wellington and Miss Cicely Donahue were in Burlington Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Linus Adams of Williston visited at the home of R. E. Forbes Wednesday.—Mrs. Walter Osborne and two daughters, Marion and Della, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams Wednesday.—Walter Storey of Shelburne visited in town over Sunday.—Earl Ayer was in Milton Saturday on business.—Mrs. Rollin Benson of Burlington has been with her aunt, Mrs. Ira Chase, the last of the week.—Robert Jones is to be one of doors again since his recent illness.—Dorothy Ayer and Dorothy Coats picked dandelions in bloom Saturday afternoon.

HINESBURG.

Mrs. W. D. Blanchard of Concord, N. Y., has so far recovered from her recent operation as to be out again. Mrs. Blanchard will be remembered as Martha Lawrence of this town. Augustus Goodrich, one of the town's oldest residents, died Monday morning at the home of his son, Eli Goodrich. Mr. Goodrich was 82 years of age. He was laid to rest last week Wednesday. He leaves two sons, Henry and Eli Goodrich of this town, and several grandchildren.—Miss Mary Somers has returned to her school in Burlington. H. Mrs. H. B. Miller has returned home after spending the winter in Massachusetts.—Adam Hull, who has been ill at the home of her son, A. S. Hull, is much better.

UNDERHILL.

Mrs. H. L. Ellsworth, who had been ill with pneumonia for a week, died Sunday night. She is survived by a son, Edgar Ellsworth, of Burlington, and a sister, Mrs. Martha Reynolds, also of Burlington.—The funeral of H. H. Benedict will be held at his late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be held by the Rev. J. K. Williams. He leaves a sister, Miss Mary J. Benedict, of this place.—Irving Irish, Jr., caught a trout in the creek Saturday which measured 17 inches and weighed three-quarters of a pound.—The Camp Fire Girls and Girl Scouts will have a guard, took a hike to Essex Center Saturday, carrying their lunch and returning by train.

UNDERHILL CENTER.

L. O. Brush is the champion sugar maker in this section, having made 180 pounds of sugar from 17 trees.—A daughter was born April 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Culver.—William Doon has returned from the hospital, much improved.—Walter Culver has moved his family and household effects to Jeffersonville.—The body of Mrs. Sarah (Sheridan) Ellsworth, who died Sunday night, was buried in the family lot in the Dickinson cemetery Wednesday.—Mrs. A. B. Joy is visiting her mother in Morrisville.

RICHMOND.

Mrs. Tatoo died suddenly Monday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Keefe, where she had made her home for several years. The funeral will be held at the Church of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Thursday morning at nine o'clock. The Rev. E. P. Treat of Pittsford was the guest of friends in town Monday.—Miss Elizabeth Henley was recently the guest of Mrs. A. B. Rugg in Essex Junction.—Mrs. E. T. Jacobs and daughter, Mrs. H. H. Miller, who were in town last week, returned to their home in Essex Junction.—Mrs. Louise M. Smiley Circle of the King's Daughters at the former's home Wednesday afternoon.—Miss Eva Berry of Burlington was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Berry, over Sunday.—Private James Barrett and children of Montpelier were the guests of her mother, Mrs. Murphy, over Sunday.—Mrs. Robert Merrill, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Shephardson, the last week, has returned to her home in St. Albans.—Mrs. W. C. Fuller and Mrs. M. O. Goss were guests of Mr. E. J. Berry in Essex Junction Monday.—Mrs. Charles Tracy, Mrs. S. Green and Mrs. Piche entertained the Aid Circle of the King's Daughters at the parsonage Friday afternoon.—Vernon Green left Thursday evening for Pittsford, N. H., where he has been called having recently enlisted in the aviation corps.—Mrs. Mary Bessett is in Burlington, where she will spend several weeks visiting friends.—Mrs. Della Piche is visiting her sister, Mrs. Shurley, in Burlington.—Miss Frances Freeman, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Maytie Gleason, has returned to her home in Essex Junction.

SOUTH BURLINGTON.

The Lend-a-Hand Circle of the King's Daughters is having a poverty social Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. C. Sherwin on Fourth street.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Aldrich have received word of the safe arrival in France of their son, Ralph.—Mrs. Ezra Hoag, who has been quite ill with a throat trouble, is slowly gaining.—The Libby Loan is being canvassed for the Liberty Loan.

SHELBOURNE.

Cyrus P. Van Vleet of Shelburne died Saturday afternoon at his home in that village after a long period of ill health which culminated in an attack of erysipelas which in his weakened condition he was not able to combat. Mr. Van Vleet was for over 25 years a member of the firm of Tracy & Van Vleet of Shelburne and later the president of the Holton Hardware company of Burlington. Also for many years a director in the Vermont Shade Roofing company and his business and executive ability combined with his known integrity and fearless execution of purpose made him a frequent arbiter as referee in and out of court cases.

Mr. Van Vleet was of a very genial disposition and his going would be a loss to the community. He was a man who was ready to do a kindness and his ready wit brought cheer and smiles to all who enjoyed his acquaintance. He was a member of the Methodist Church, of which he was a trustee at the time of his death. In political matters he was a strong factor, always aligning himself with that which was for the greatest good for the community in which he lived. The survivors of his immediate family are his widow, a son, Lewis of Shelburne, and a daughter, Mrs. Sidney Clafin of Charlotte.

The funeral of Cyrus P. Van Vleet was held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Methodist Church and was attended by a large gathering. The Rev. A. J. Hutchinson officiated at a prayer service at the house at two o'clock and at the church at three o'clock. The Rev. Russell sang two selections, "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." The bearers were Judge

H. W. Taylor, William Root, C. L. Van Vleet, William Boardman, Arthur Chase and Irving Deyette. The burial was in the family lot. There was a profusion of floral offerings.

There will be a dance at Woodman's hall Saturday evening. Refreshments will be served. Brown's orchestra will play.—The young people will give their play, "A Country Store," at Charlotte Saturday evening.—Miss Bertha Field was the meal.—Miss M. Mitchell has returned from New Haven, where she has been caring for Robert Parker, who has pneumonia.—Mrs. W. A. Wead is reported as comfortable at the Mary Fletcher hospital.

CHARLOTTE.

Louise Mollison Adams and F. J. Huntress of Enosburg Falls were quietly married at the parsonage April 16 by the Rev. Frank M. Hemingway.—John Lucia of Burlington is moving his family back to their home in the town of Enosburg. Their spring plowing this week.—Edna Macee has a position at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Williams.—Arthur Macee was in Burlington Saturday on business.—The morning paper which was held at the vestry Friday evening was largely attended.

Because of the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid at St. E. S., which was held this month, there will be no meeting of the Ladies' Aid at St. E. S. on Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hodgkins, who spent the winter in Burlington, have returned to town and are at their new home.—Mrs. Charles Holmes has been spending several days in Middlebury at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Ross. Dr. Ross left last week for Fort Oglethorpe, where he has a commission as lieutenant in the medical corps of the army.

At the pancake supper given by the Ladies' Aid at the vestry Friday evening \$32 was cleared, which will be applied on the furnace debt.—There will be a special service at the Grange Thursday evening for the first and second degrees. The Grange will present their entertainment, "The Country Store," at Library hall Saturday evening. The proceeds are for the Red Cross. There will be dancing after the entertainment.—John S. Williams and Miss Mollison Adams, who have gone to Peacham to attend the funeral of their uncle, the Rev. J. K. Williams.—Miss Wright of Burlington spent the week-end with her niece, Mrs. E. McNeil.—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Smith have returned from Boston.—John Rice of Essex Junction visited her daughter, Mrs. Harold Smith, last week.

This town has subscribed its quota of Liberty bonds.—Mrs. E. B. Beers, who has been spending the winter in Manchester and is now in town, returned to her home here.—A number from the Burlington fire department attended the funeral of C. P. Van Vleet in Shelburne Sunday.—W. V. Beach of Farmington, Ohio, called on friends in town Monday.—Miss Lou Thompson of New York city is visiting relatives in town.

WEST BOLTON.

Herbert Tomlinson has finished work at Hartford, Conn., and gone to Grand Isle to clerk in the store of R. Minckler & Co.—Mrs. Georgianna Lacaille, who was in town a part of last week, has returned to her home in West Bolton.—Tomlinson returned to Worcester, Mass., where he is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tomlinson.—Mrs. W. G. Minckler, who has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Davis two weeks, has returned to Grand Isle.—Mrs. H. Edwards, who has been with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. York since the death of her father, seven years ago, has gone to Nashua, N. H., to live with her mother.

EAST CHARLOTTE.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest W. Carpenter have purchased of Mrs. Polly Ann Center of Ferrisburg Center, her farm in East Charlotte, consisting of about 200 acres, known as the Carpenter farm and lying north from Baptist Corners.—A union meeting of the Ladies' Aid society and the Liberty Loan committee was held at the Baptist Church will be held at the vestry Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock when the annual election of officers will take place.—Miss Genevieve Horsford and F. S. Gove have each installed making machines.—Mrs. H. Edwards, who has been with three children visited her sister, Mrs. John A. Hart, over Sunday.—E. P. Darr of Sac City, Iowa, is visiting his cousin, E. G. Darrt, and Mrs. Darrt.—Miss Margery Estey has returned from Utica, N. Y., where she has been with her aunt, Mrs. Wood for seven months and attending school.—Mrs. Thomas D. Hart is ill with neuritis.—Mrs. Edward Elissette is ill with pneumonia.—Edward Place, who is a student at Colby Academy, was not able to return to school because of serious ear trouble. The school has been closed at present because of scarlet fever and those who returned to the school after the Easter vacation are quarantined there. Carl Prindle returned to school, but Miss Elizer stopped with friends in Claremont, N. H., where she is now engaged in the school here.—Mrs. Vera (Loomis) Swiggett, aged 33 years, wife of Ralph Sherwood Swiggett, who died April 11 at her home in San Juan, Porto Rico, arrived here Tuesday morning at 11:30 o'clock. They were accompanied by Mr. Swiggett's mother, Mrs. E. F. Lucas of this city, who was called to San Juan several weeks ago by Mrs. Swiggett's illness. The body was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucas where funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. The Rev. George W. Smith, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, officiating, and the burial took place in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. A. P. Barton and daughter, Alice, have returned from St. Paul, Minn., where they have been spending the winter. Mr. Barton, who is employed in Farmington, P. Q., is in this city. A service flag containing 50 stars has been placed in the sanctuary of Holy Trinity church, where the Rev. W. H. Williams is in the flag in memory of Michael Bernard, a member of Company B, who died last spring shortly after the company was called out.

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JERICHO.

At a meeting of the finance committee of the local A. B. C., it was decided to put the finance of the organization on a more permanent basis. This has been accomplished in surrounding towns by regular monthly contributions by individuals and families. During the first ten months of the work the average expenditure per month was \$32.50. Much more could be used as prices advance. There will be a thorough canvass of the village and vicinity during the week of April 28 by the committee in charge, of which Mrs. Frank O'Hara, S. Briggs, Thomas D. Hart, and K. Howe is chairman. It is hoped that all will give as freely as they are able towards the support of the relief work for the soldiers and sailors, both here and abroad. The women's committee of the A. B. C. is also working to bring the sale of bonds to a higher level. They have passed the \$200,000 mark already, and if the men's committee do as well Jericho may be proud of the success of this drive.—W. W. Smith went to Jeffersonville Monday morning for the week.—Earl Stygles has gone to Burlington, where he has employment in a meat market.—Mr. and Mrs. Warren Brigham and daughter, Lila, were in Milton to attend William Brigham's funeral.—Charles Chynoweth of this place visited in Montpelier.—William Schellhammer was at home from the U. S. V. of Burlington Saturday.—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason of Alburt April 21. This is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mason of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Edson Partridge and son, Amos, were over-Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Macomber at Westford.—The Misses Gladys and

Perle Hawley spent Sunday in Essex at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor. Charles Gibbs of Essex Junction, who is working for W. W. Smith, was at his home over Sunday.—Grant Thomas of Burlington was an over-Sunday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor. Sunday visitor of Burlington was at the home of his brother, Wayne, at the home of Miss Lena Varney.—Mr. E. Carpenter of Charlotte, district supervisor, John Schallenger for patrolman for Jericho.—Bert Blodgett is moving from his home recently purchased of Steven Yette, to the Dewey Irish house on Church street.—Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Buxton and sons, Ralph and Maurice, of Jonesville visited last week from New Haven, where they are working for the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Buzzell.—Angel Trusha and G. Balastaras of Burlington have commenced work here in the granite shop of Denmore and Osgood and board at the home of Lorenzo W. Rice.

JERICHO CENTER.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary meeting will be held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ellen Morse.—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Blakely of Burlington visited their aunt, Mrs. M. M. Whitney, on Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Neely and Charles Neely returned from New Haven, where they spent the winter.—Hovey Jordan of Camp Devens is spending a two weeks' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Jordan. Mrs. H. H. Higgins accompanied him.—Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Hunt of Winooski, in local service, was held in the Ladies' Aid hall given by the high school. The proceeds were \$5.00, which were given to the Junior Red Cross.—The townspeople will be glad to know that in response to the intensive Red Cross campaign, the march for the benefit of the soldiers' and sailors' libraries of a package of 200 volumes given by the citizens has been shipped to Hoboken, N. J. It is hoped books will continue to come in to the deposit stations, for men will need books as long as the war lasts and the supply must be constantly replenished. As soon as there are enough for another package, a report will be made to the State headquarters by the librarian, and they will be prepared and shipped to the proper address. Books with their own names and addresses of their short life and the cost of shipping.

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Franklin County.

ST. ALBANS.

Ralph A. Elliott arrived Monday from Starkboro to take over his duties in the town of St. Albans. Mr. Elliott is a native of this town and has been in charge of the Champlain Valley Cow Test association at Vergennes.

Miss Emma Bridges of Rouses Point, N. Y., died Sunday night about eleven o'clock at the Sherwood sanitarium, where she had been several months for treatment. She was in her 79 year. Funeral services were held at St. Luke's Episcopal Church Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock and the burial took place in the family lot in Greenwood cemetery.

William Bridges, who formerly lived in St. Albans, was a daughter of the late Hon. William Bridges, who for years was judge of probate for Franklin county. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Depatie of Ferrisburg at the hospital Monday morning.

F. W. Sault has received word of the death of his wife's brother, Charles F. Sault, of Lowell, Mass., which occurred Sunday afternoon. Mr. Sault was in Lowell several days ago. Mr. Sault is survived by his wife, two sons, two daughters, two sisters, Mrs. Sault and Miss Hannah Paine of Franklin, N. H., and two brothers, Robert E. Paine of New York and Thomas F. Paine of Austin, Minn. Mr. Paine was born in Northfield about 50 years ago, a son of Robert and Ellen Paine. He was employed by the Central Vermont for several years making his home in Northfield but returned to his home in Lowell, where he has been employed as yardmaster by the Boston & Maine railway.

Mrs. S. W. Anthony was delightfully surprised Tuesday afternoon when the dining room of the Hotel Vermont was taken over by the wives of the various clergymen of the city gathered in the Congregational parlors to remind her of her birthday anniversary. The occasion was doubly enjoyable, marking as it did the opening of the church which has been closed all winter while under repair. Refreshments were served from a long table which was handsomely decorated with flowers and on the table were two birthday cakes. One of the cakes bore Mrs. Anthony's initials and the other was a fruit cake made with the thought that it would keep until the return from France of Mrs. Anthony's husband, pastor of the church here, who is now engaged in Y. M. C. A. work.

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ing such favorable recovery that Mrs. Lemmah had hoped passage for return home. Mrs. Swiggett, who was at her home in this city from childhood, she was graduated from the St. Albans high school and Wellesley College and her marriage took place here October 21, 1908. Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Barbara, aged seven years, and Mrs. Swiggett was 33 years old last August.

At the annual convocation of Lafayette Commandery, No. 3, Knights Templar, held Wednesday, April 17, the following officers were elected: Eminent commander, Otis N. Kelton; generalissimo, R. H. McConney; captain-general, M. S. Bostwick; senior warden, H. M. Drennan; junior warden, W. R. McPeck; preceptor, J. H. Danforth; treasurer, S. F. J. Thorpe; recorder, Charles E. Oliver; standard bearer, Charles E. Schott; sword bearer, William Doolin; warden, Henry Bryant; trustee, Dr. George O. Mitchell.

John W. St. John, who escaped some time ago from the State industrial school at Vergennes, and about two weeks after his escape was arrested on the charge of breaking into T. W. Hale & Co.'s store in Fairfield, has been taken back to the industrial school. He is to remain there until he will be taken to the house of correction at Rutland for a year or two.

C. G. Austin, who has been seriously ill at the Sherwood sanitarium about three months, is able to be out.

Private Edward Austin of this city has been notified by the adjutant-general's department at Washington that his son, Winford Ploof, has been severely wounded in action. Private Ploof went out with Company B, First Infantry, V. N. G., at the outbreak of the war, was a member of a machine gun battalion on the other side.

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James G. Murphy has leased the restaurant under the Park View Hotel to Henry Peters and Charles E. Murphy will conduct the hotel as a lodging house.

Franklin county court, which took recess April 13, reconvened yesterday. Judge J. C. Post, of Rutland, presiding. Evidence in the case of George C. Story vs. Aldis L. Barkyoum was completed. The case of the Farmers' Exchange vs. the Walter M. Lowney company, George H. Cross company, H. H. Howe & Co. and G. H. Cross & Son, trustees, was taken up in the afternoon.

At a meeting of the board of school commissioners the teachers' committee reported. Mrs. M. M. Hathaway had been engaged to complete the year as teacher of the fifth grade of the Barlow street school, succeeding Miss M. Dorothy Hurley, who resigned to take a recess position.

After a recess, Dr. Herbert C. Phelps of Alburt died about five o'clock yesterday morning at the St. Albans hospital, where he was taken a few days ago for treatment. The body was taken to the home of his wife, Mrs. Phelps, who was 76 years old, practiced medicine in Alburt for ten years, but had been making his home in Swanton. He was a veteran of the Civil War and was a member of the G. A. R. Post at Swanton. He was a member of Lafayette Commandery, No. 3, Knights Templar, of this city. His sister, Mrs. Clow of Grand Isle, arrived here today. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 10:30 o'clock.

Arthur J. Crowley, who for two years has been science teacher in the St. Albans high school, has gone to his home in Potsdam, N. Y., having been ordered to report to duty Friday at the school of aeronautics at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

Sergeant M. M. Bullett, who has been caretaker at the army since it was occupied, October 1, 1915, has resigned his position to take over the duty of having taken employment with the Central Vermont Railroad company. L. A. Curtis will succeed Mr. Bullett.

SHELDON.

A public meeting to further the Liberty Loan campaign is to be held here Friday evening in W. C. Marsh's hall, at eight o'clock. Senator Martin S. Vilas of Burlington will speak.—The dance which was given in W. C. Marsh's hall last Friday evening was a success. About 40 couples were present.—Horace Riley, who has been employed in Connecticut, is now visiting his mother, Mrs. Hattie Riley, of this place.—Cecil Batchelder spent Sunday in Enosburg Falls.—C. M. Kittling did some repairing at the barn buildings in Fairfield last week.—Most all the farmers around here have gathered their buckets at the sugaring season is over. Some state that their amount of sugar this year was about the same as last year.

EAST BERKSHIRE.

The first of last December has knitted 50th anniversary of the Red Cross.—Conductor Bishop Bliss visited Calvary Sunday afternoon.—The Rev. W. H. Williams was a celebrant of the Holy Communion Monday morning at nine o'clock.—The Red Cross shipped last week a box containing 10 pairs of socks and five sweaters. Outfits for five men will be ready when needed.

A committee to be appointed to look after the Junior Red Cross. They are Mrs. Seymour Dunham, chairman, Mrs. George Stevens, Mrs. H. W. Pratt, Mrs. Katherine Riley, Miss Mary McElroy and Miss Rockwell.—Class No. 2 of the Congregational Sunday school, the Rev. W. H. Williams, teacher, met at the parsonage Friday and organized the class. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. D. W. Paul; secretary, Henry Leahy; treasurer, Miss Mary Hurlbut. The corner class has challenged the class to a contest in attendance for the next three months. The losing side is to entertain the winners.—Miss E. M. Royce, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia, is improving.—Miss Gladys Larock is visiting her father, Mr. and Mrs. Leary in Enosburg.—Mrs. E. E. Young was in Enosburg Falls Saturday.—The Rev. William Price was called to Moretown Friday to attend a funeral.—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. A. committed to be absent on a visit to Enosburg Falls Saturday.—Commencing this week the stores in town will close Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at six o'clock until further notice.

WEST BERKSHIRE.

On Friday evening while the Rev. Thornton P. Smith was away for an evening's visit he was hastily called and upon arriving home was met by about 60 neighbors and friends from the several parts of the charge, who had taken possession of his home during his absence and had good will to him before his departure for the annual conference. Music was furnished during the evening, after which refreshments were served. Mr. Thomas of East Franklin attended the annual conference of the Baptist Missionary society for the last two years, and introduced Mr. Smith, who, with much feeling, thanked the people kindly and expressed his appreciation to them for their kindness and help to him during

his stay among them, asking that they continue the same kindly feelings and help to the new pastor. At 10 o'clock the company returned to their homes after a farewell handshake and kindest regards.—The condition of William Noble of South Berkeleys, who has been critically ill for nearly five weeks, is not quite as favorable.

ENOSBURG.

Harley Haire has moved his family into H. Haire's tenement house.—Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wright spent Friday at Nelson P. Wright's at North Enosburg.—Leon Sheldon has finished work for G. L. Nichols and gone to his home in Richmond.—Nelson Honey has purchased what is known as the Stanley Sayles place.

ENOSBURG FALLS.

A service flag with seven stars was dedicated at a patriotic service in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Enosburg. The names on the honor roll are: Lyle Woodworth, Douglas Kimball, Stewart Gleason, Kent Parley, Orin Holand and Gerald Durkee.—M. L. Irish has engaged to go with the Irish's condensed milk Co. to Enosburg, where he will be in charge of the plant. Mrs. Irish will remain here for a time.—Mrs. E. J. Tyler and Mrs. D. M. Rose were in Burlington over